

SUSY Decays in the Complex MSSM: A Full One-Loop Analysis

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⇒ important source for information on Higgs, LSP
⇒ precision prediction (at least) of BR's necessary

Complex parameters:

- μ : Higgsino mass parameter
- $A_{t,b,\tau}$: trilinear couplings $\Rightarrow X_{t,b,\tau} = A_{t,b} - \mu^* \{\cot \beta, \tan \beta\}$ complex
- $M_{1,2}$: gaugino mass parameter (one phase can be eliminated)
- $m_{\tilde{g}}$: gluino mass

⇒ can induce \mathcal{CP} -violating effects

Effects of complex parameters in the Higgs sector:

Complex parameters enter via loop corrections:

Result:

$$(A, H, h) \rightarrow (\textcolor{red}{h_3}, \textcolor{red}{h_2}, \textcolor{red}{h_1} (= \phi))$$

with

$$M_{h_3} > M_{h_2} > M_{h_1}$$

More on complex phases: \tilde{t}/\tilde{b} sector of the MSSM:

Stop, sbottom mass matrices ($X_t = A_t - \mu^*/\tan\beta$, $X_b = A_b - \mu^*\tan\beta$):

$$M_{\tilde{t}}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} M_{\tilde{t}_L}^2 + m_t^2 + DT_{t_1} & m_t X_t^* \\ m_t X_t & M_{\tilde{t}_R}^2 + m_t^2 + DT_{t_2} \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\theta_{\tilde{t}}} \begin{pmatrix} m_{\tilde{t}_1}^2 & 0 \\ 0 & m_{\tilde{t}_2}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

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mixing important in stop sector (also in sbottom sector for large $\tan\beta$)

$SU(2) \text{ relation} \Rightarrow M_{\tilde{t}_L} = M_{\tilde{b}_L}$

\Rightarrow relation between $m_{\tilde{t}_1}, m_{\tilde{t}_2}, \theta_{\tilde{t}}, m_{\tilde{b}_1}, m_{\tilde{b}_2}, \theta_{\tilde{b}}$

More on complex phases: Neutralinos and charginos:

Higgsinos and electroweak gauginos mix

charged:

$$\tilde{W}^+, \tilde{h}_u^+ \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+, \tilde{\chi}_2^+, \quad \tilde{W}^-, \tilde{h}_d^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^-, \tilde{\chi}_2^-$$

⇒ charginos: mass eigenstates

mass matrix given in terms of M_2 , μ , $\tan\beta$

neutral:

$$\underbrace{\tilde{\gamma}, \tilde{Z}}_{\tilde{W}^0, \tilde{B}^0}, \tilde{h}_u^0, \tilde{h}_d^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}_3^0, \tilde{\chi}_4^0$$

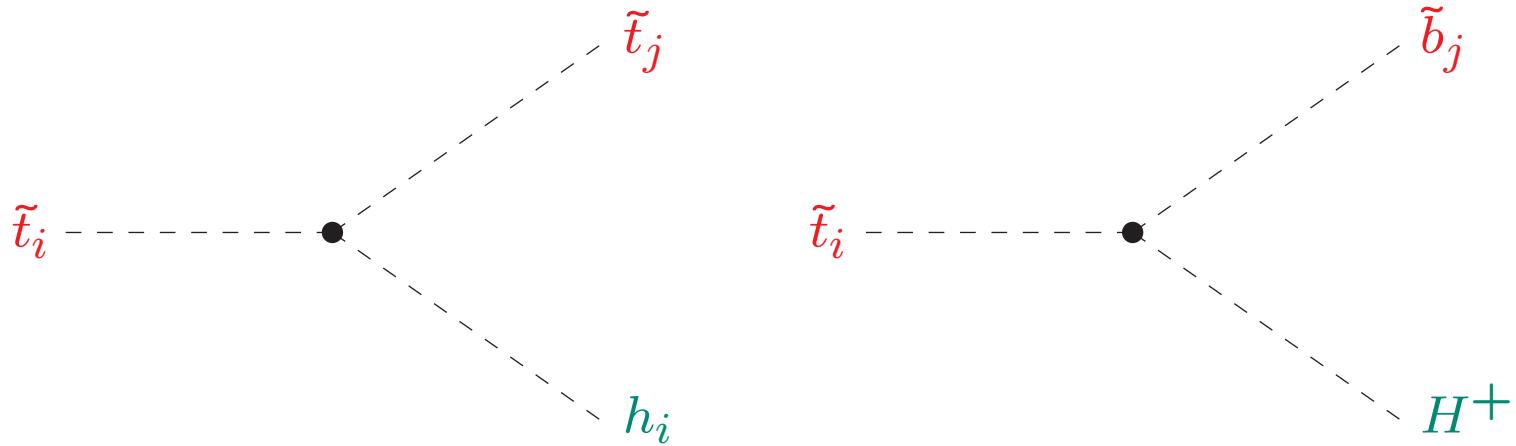
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⇒ only one new parameter

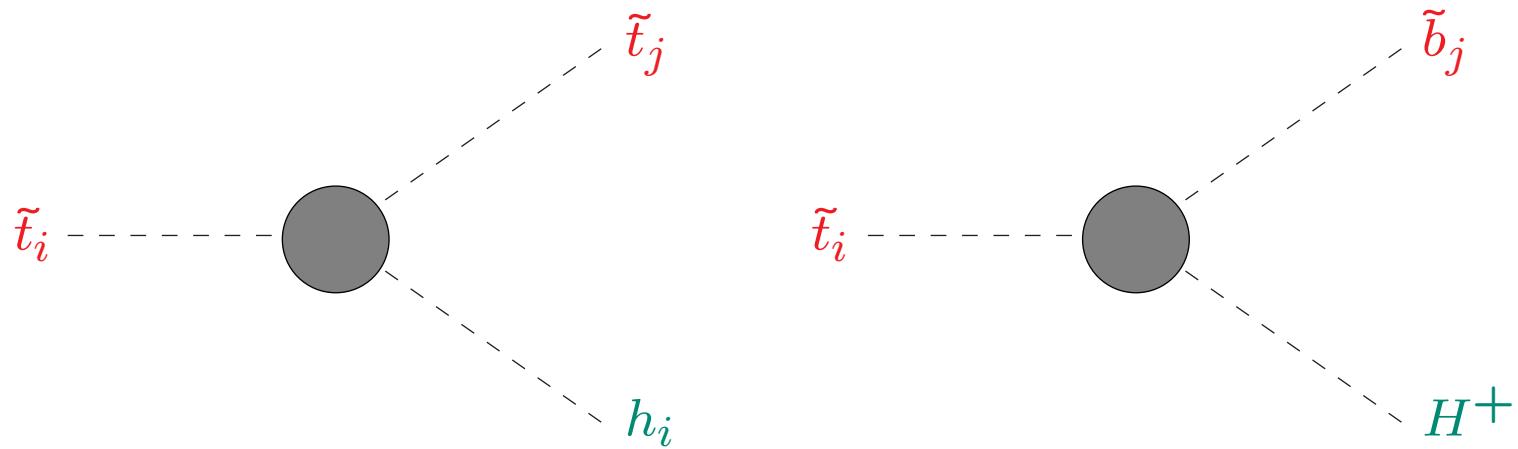
⇒ MSSM predicts mass relations between neutralinos and charginos

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- A_t and A_b directly enter the vertex
- possible source of Higgs bosons at the LHC/ILC
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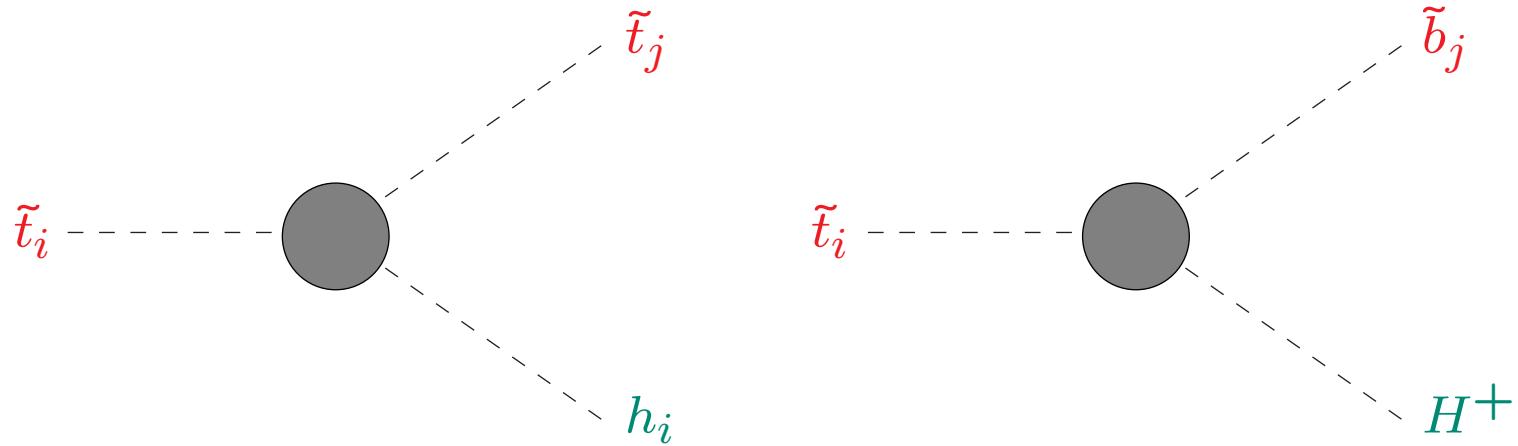
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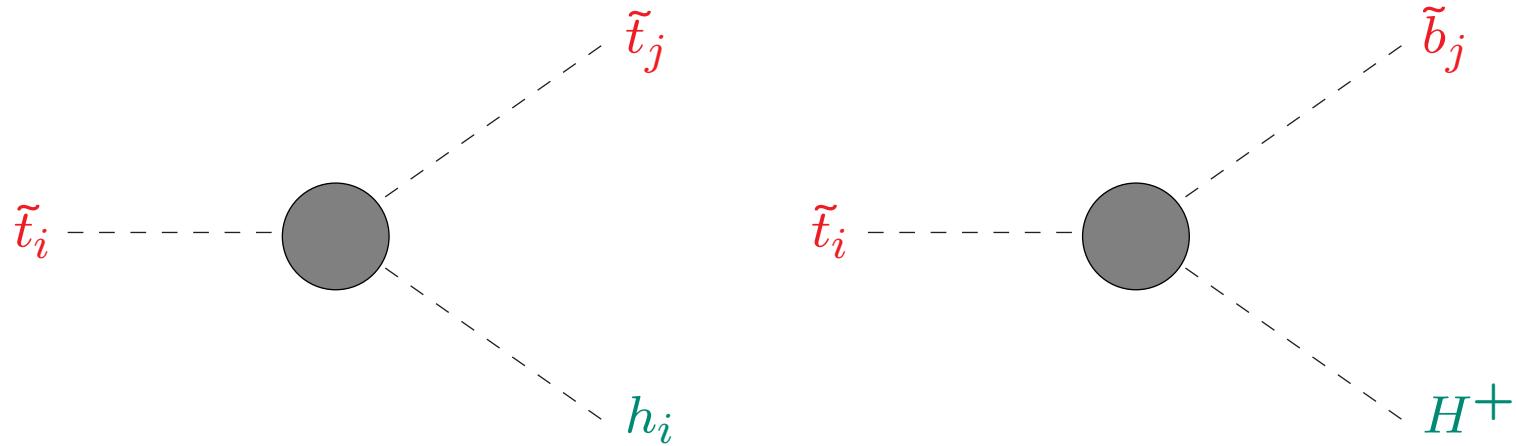


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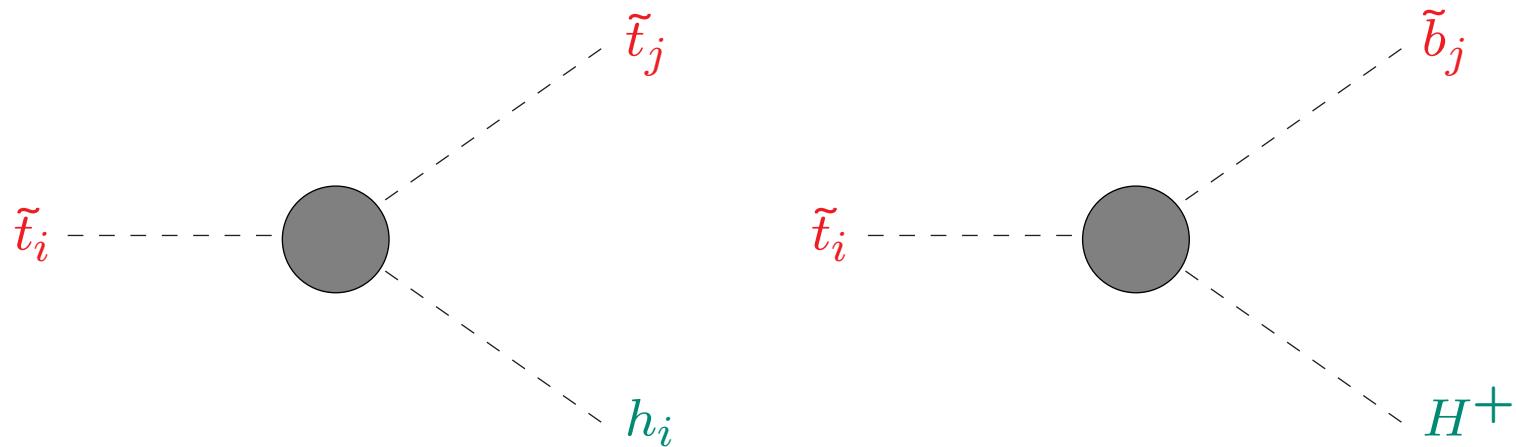


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⇒ with on-shell properties for external particles!

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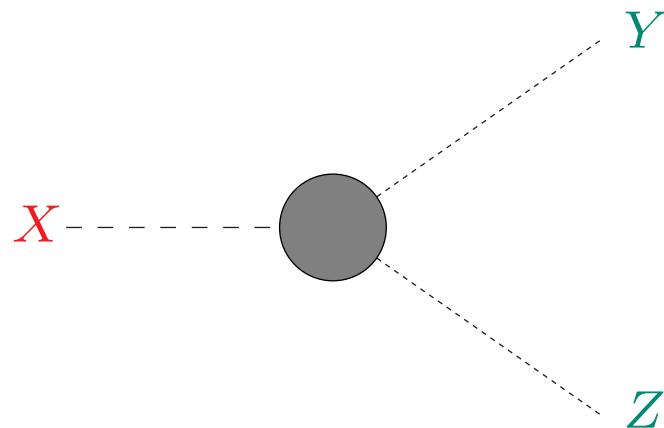


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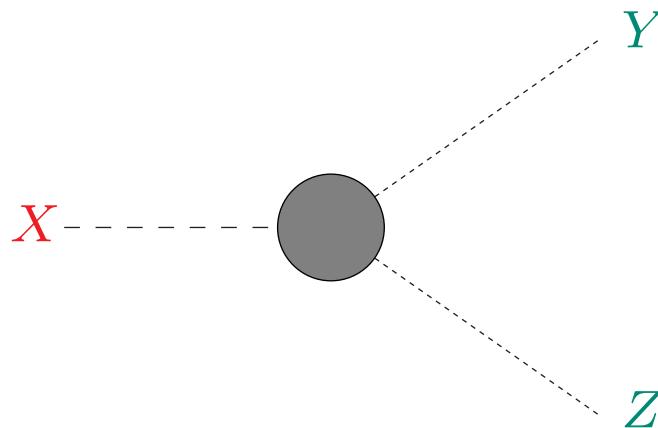
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now ready:

- (heavy) stop decays
- gluino decays
- (non-hadronic) chargino decays

2. Heavy Stop Decays

$$\Gamma(\tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 h_i) \quad (i = 1, 2, 3) ,$$

$$\Gamma(\tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 Z) ,$$

$$\Gamma(\tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_k^0) \quad (k = 1 \dots 4) ,$$

$$\Gamma(\tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow t\tilde{g}) ,$$

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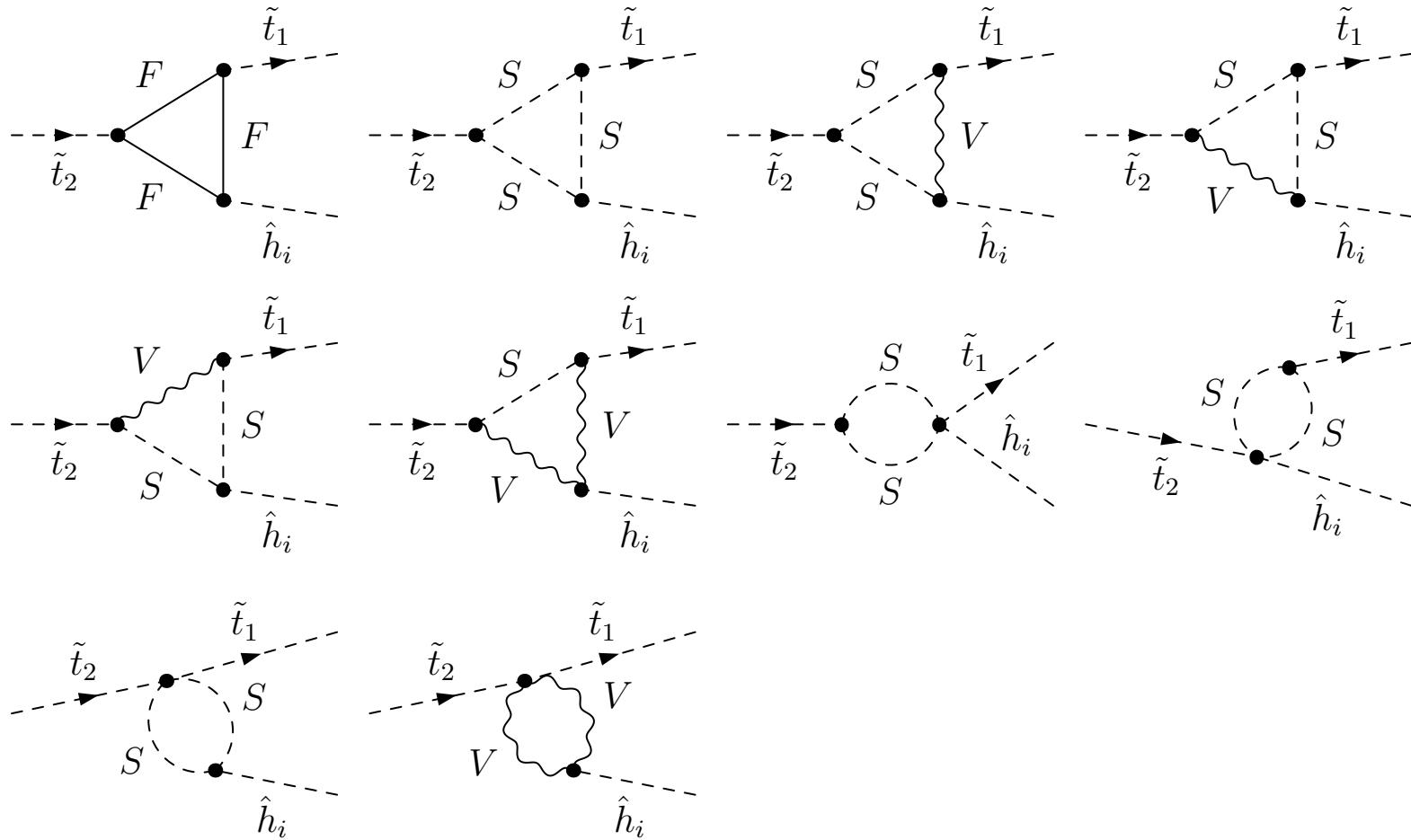
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Calculation of partial widths and branching ratios:

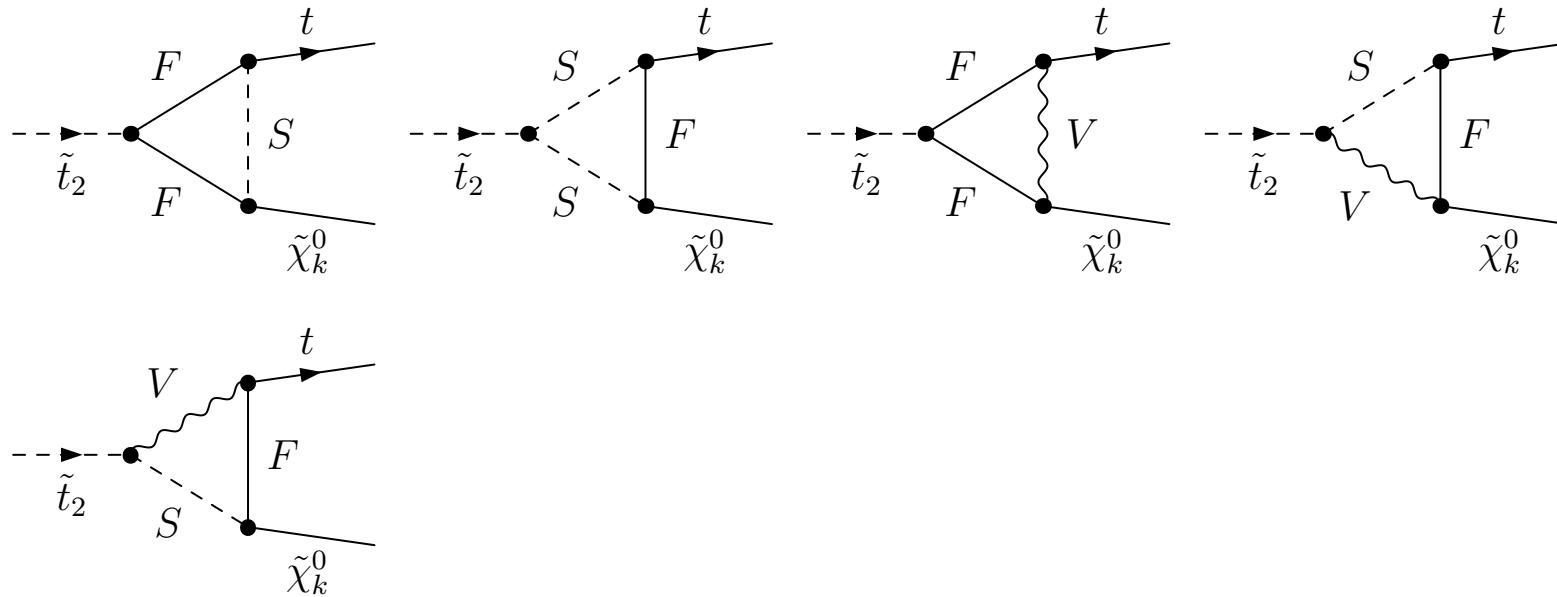
- all diagrams created with **FeynArts** → $\rightarrow \text{TT}$
 - model file with all counterterms in the cMSSM
- including all soft/hard QED/QCD diagrams
- further evaluation with **FormCalc**
- Dimensional **RED**uction
- all **UV** and **IR** divergences cancel
- results will be included into **FeynHiggs** (www.feynhiggs.de)
 - example plots will focus on $\text{BR}(\tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 h_1)$, $\text{BR}(\tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow t \tilde{\chi}_1^0)$

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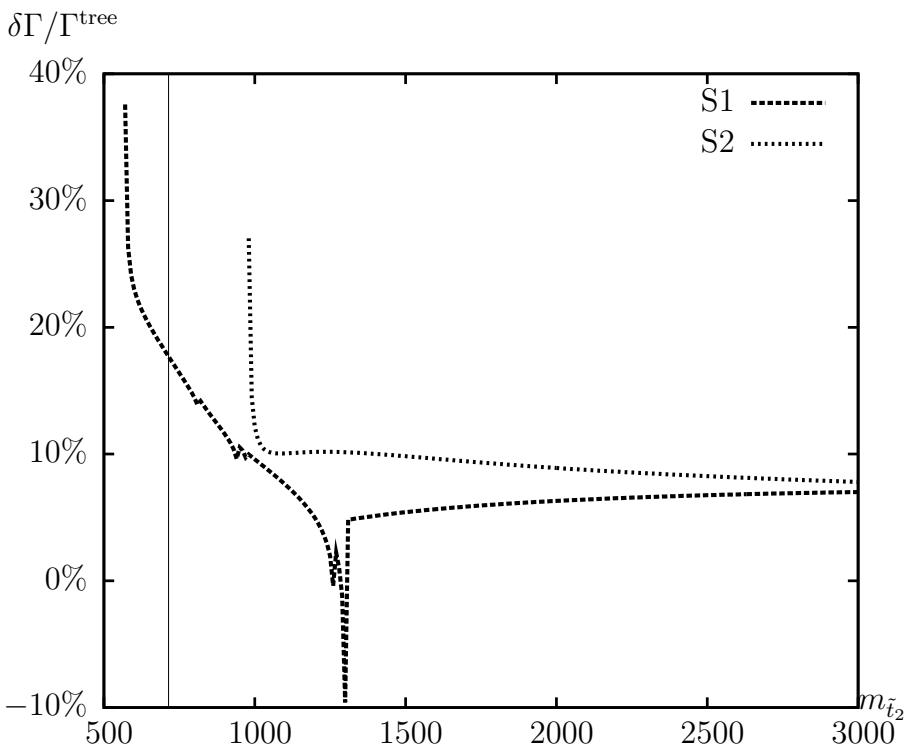
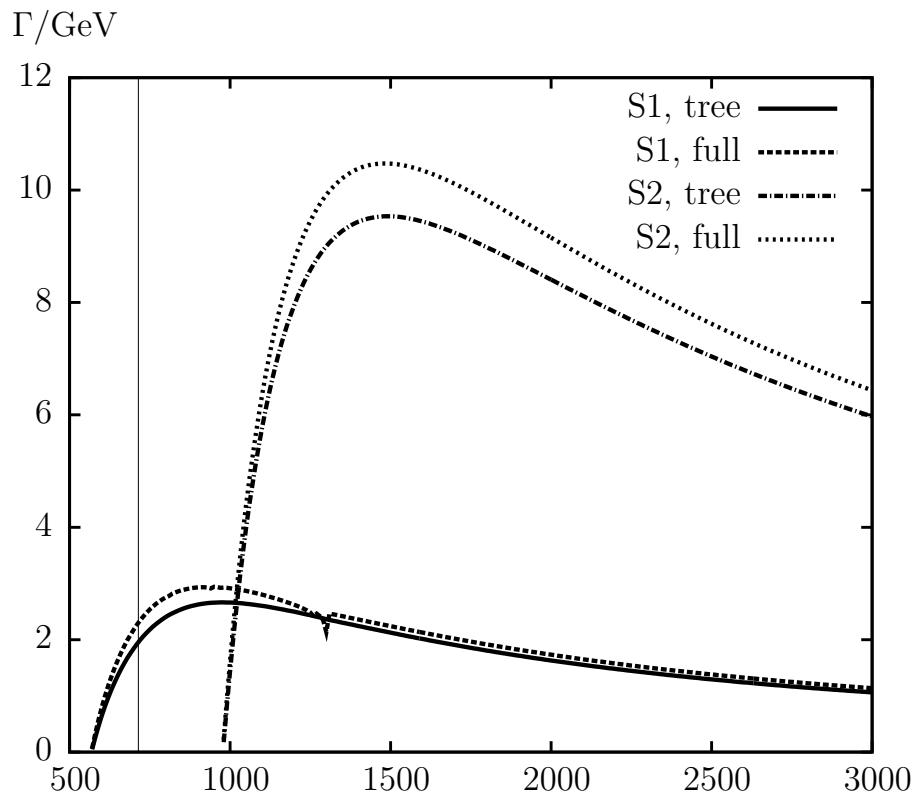
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Numerical scenarios:

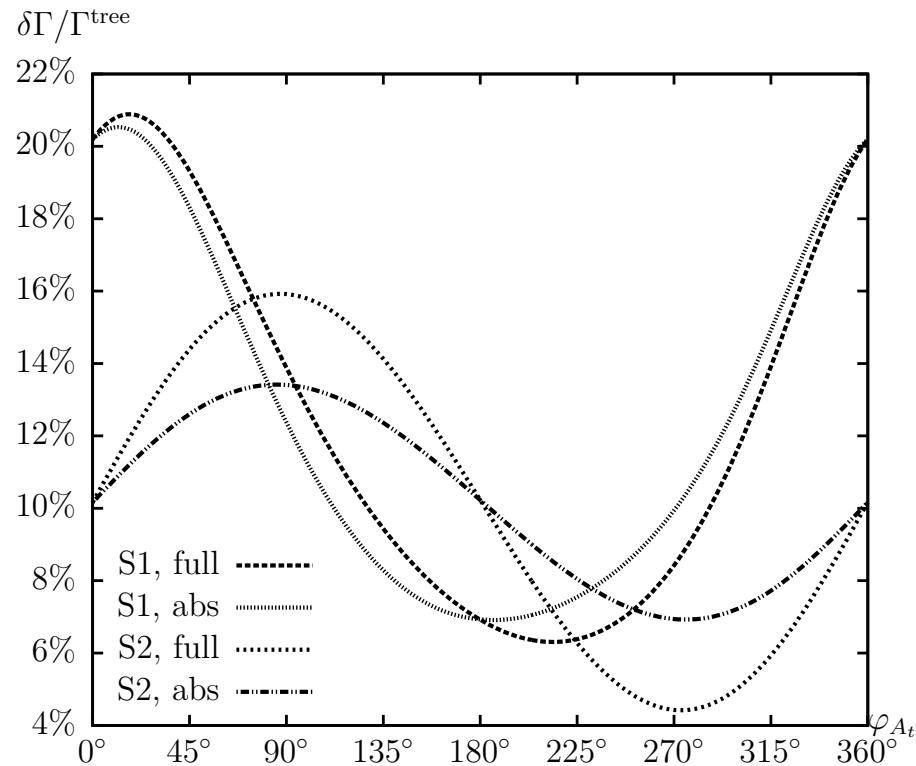
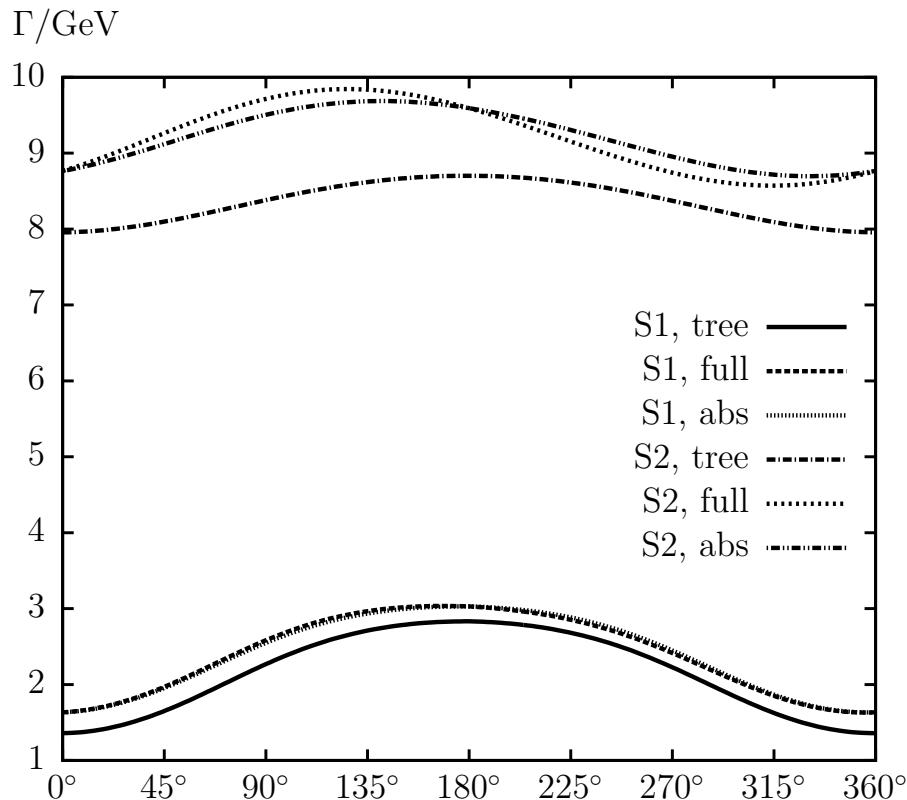
Scen.	M_{H^\pm}	$m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	$m_{\tilde{t}_1}$	$m_{\tilde{b}_2}$	μ	A_t	A_b	M_1	M_2	M_3
S1	150	650	$0.4 m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	$0.7 m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	200	900	400	200	300	800
S2	180	1200	$0.6 m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	$0.8 m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	300	1800	1600	150	200	400

Scen.	$\tan \beta$	$m_{\tilde{t}_1}$	$m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	$m_{\tilde{b}_1}$	$m_{\tilde{b}_2}$
S1	2	260.000	650.000	305.436	455.000
	20	260.000	650.000	333.572	455.000
	50	260.000	650.000	329.755	455.000
S2	2	720.000	1200.000	769.801	960.000
	20	720.000	1200.000	783.300	960.000
	50	720.000	1200.000	783.094	960.000

Scenarios chosen such that *all* decay channels are open

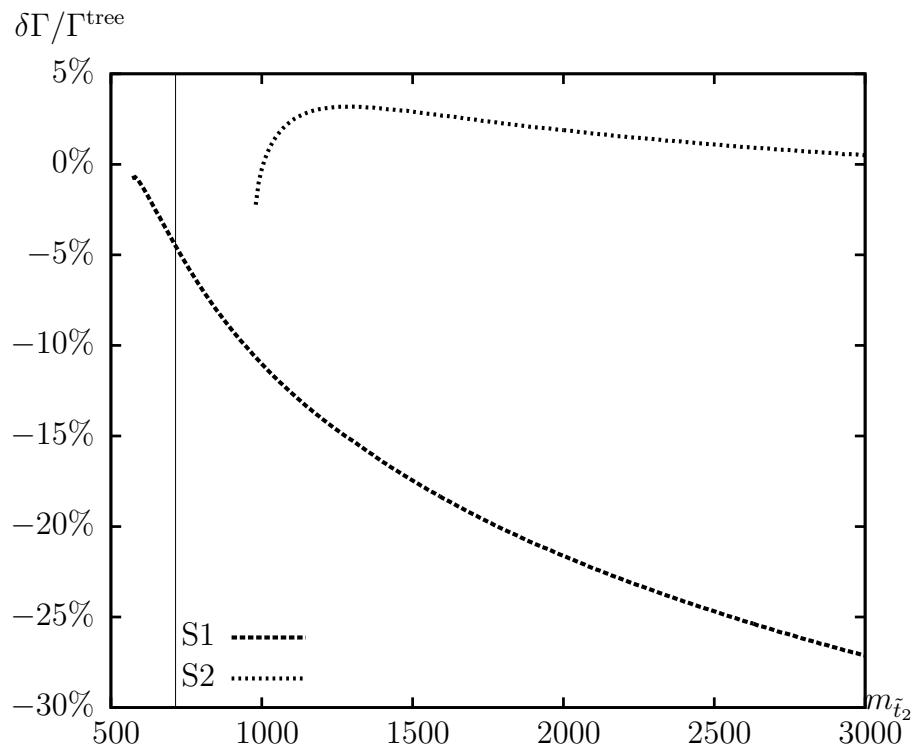
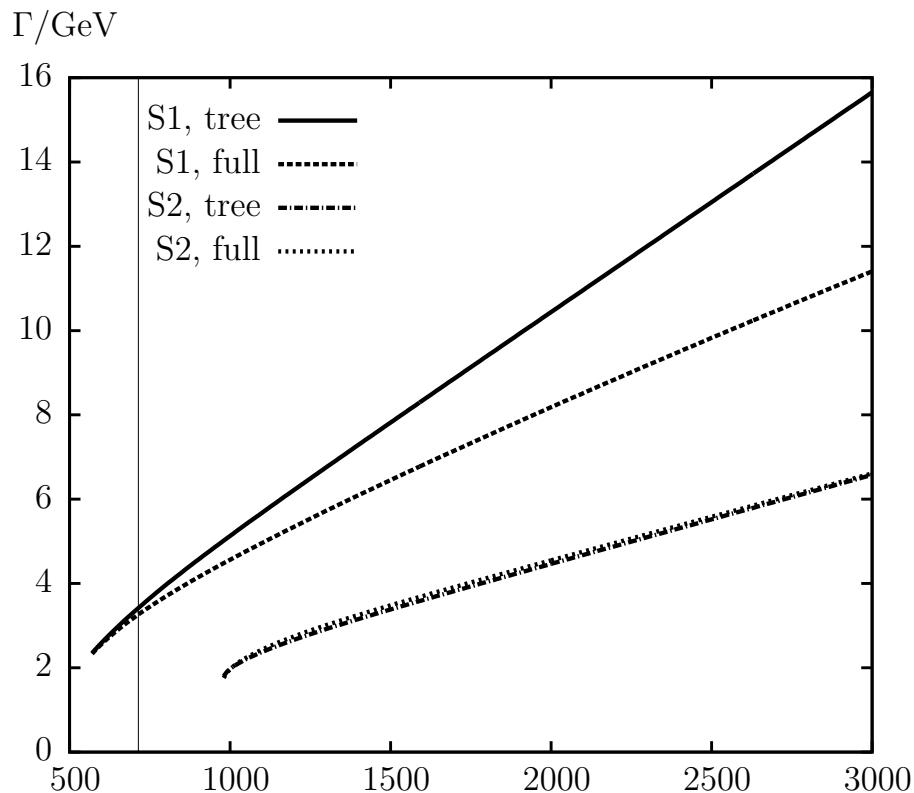


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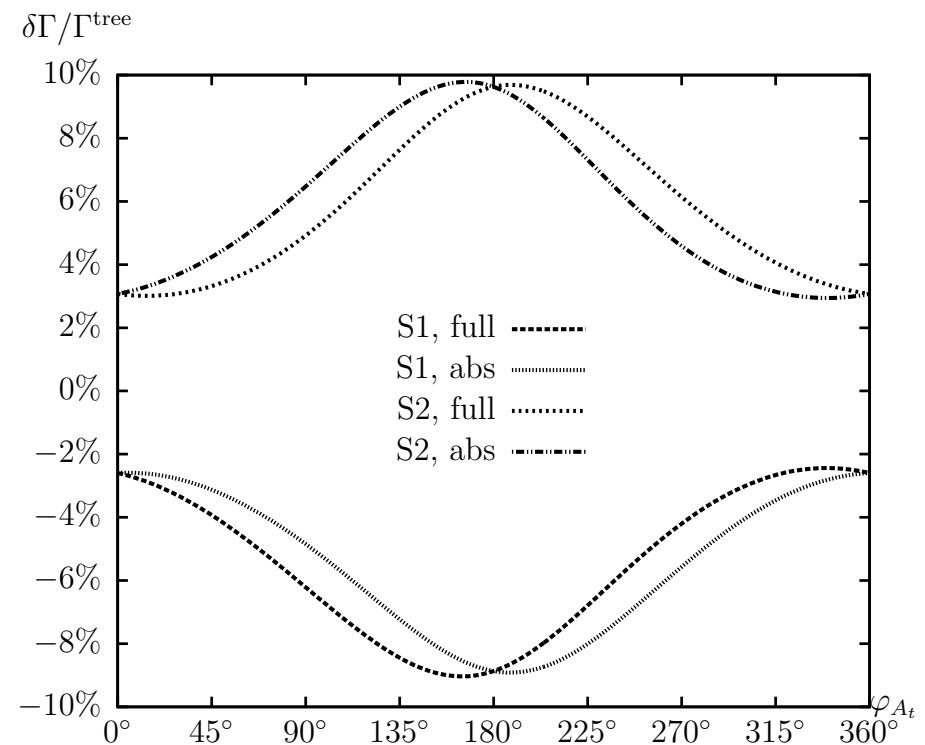
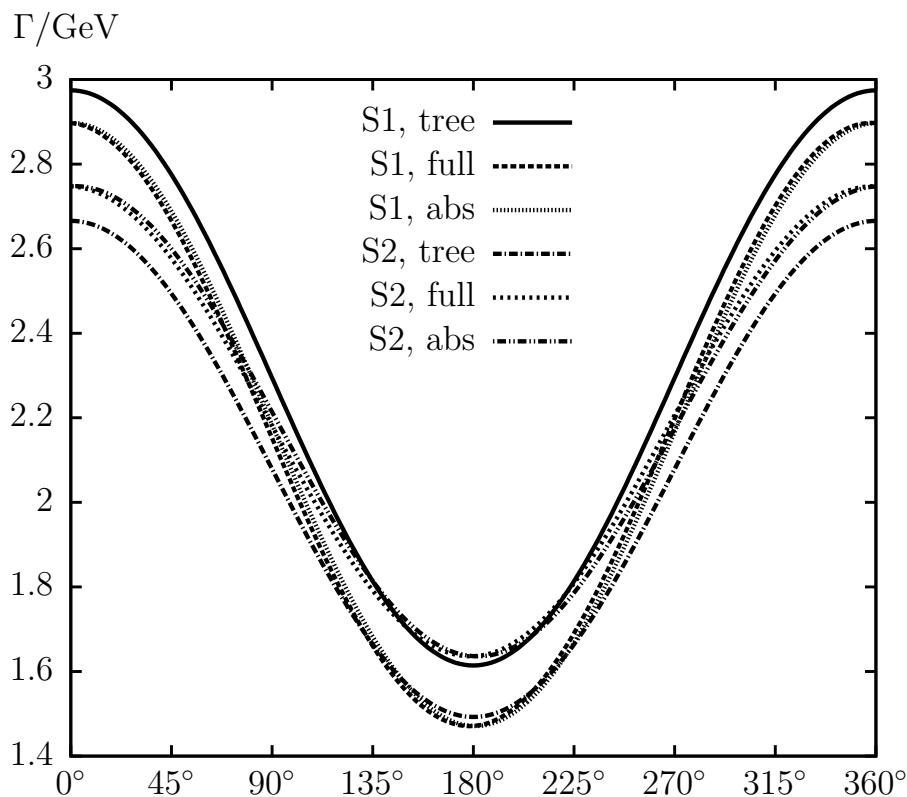
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3. Gluino decays

$$\Gamma(\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{q}_i q) \quad (i = 1, 2, q = t, b, c, s, u, d) ,$$

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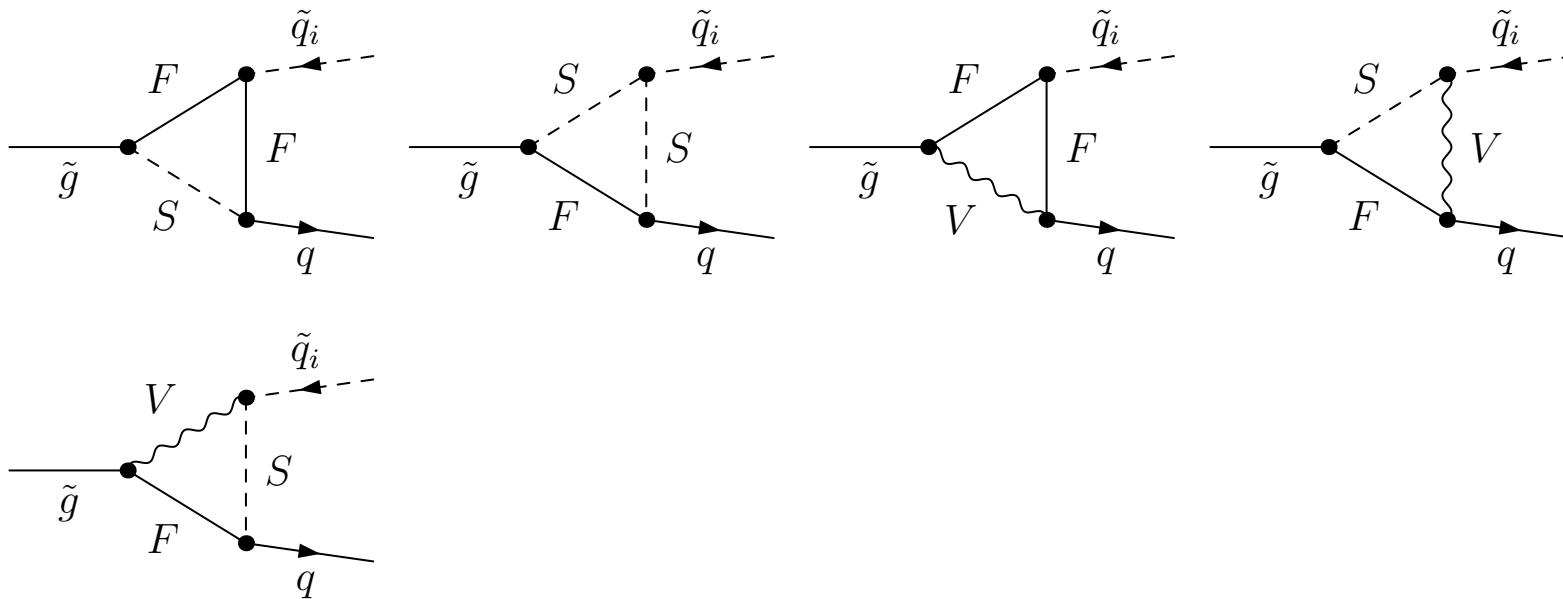
$$\Gamma(\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_k^0 g) \quad (k = 1, 2, 3, 4) .$$

No tree-level three-body decays included . . .

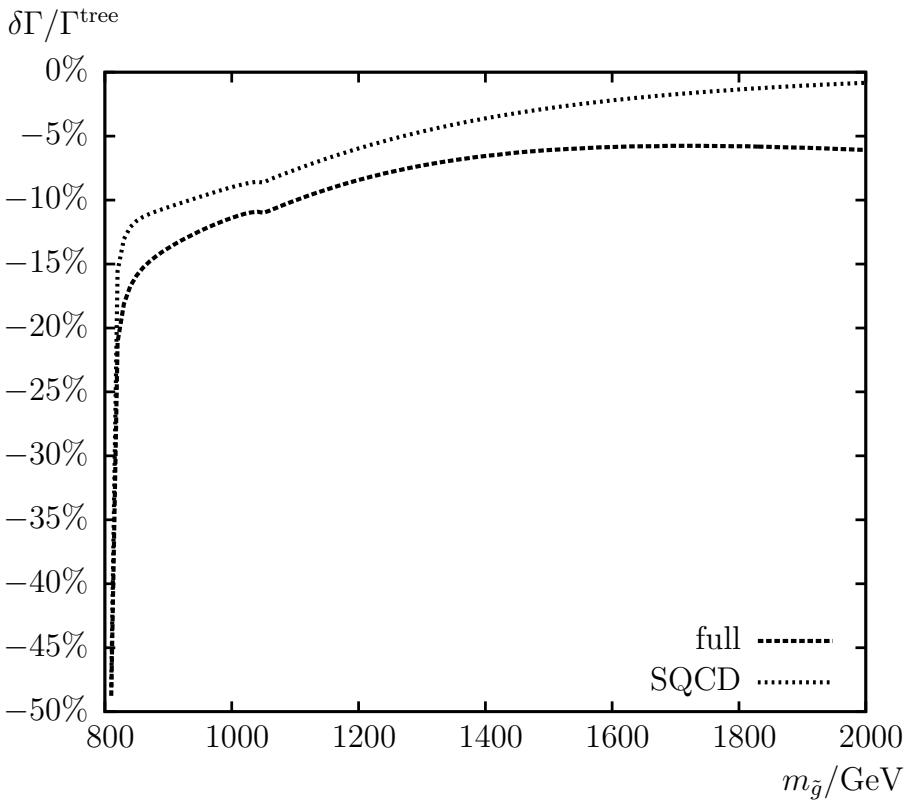
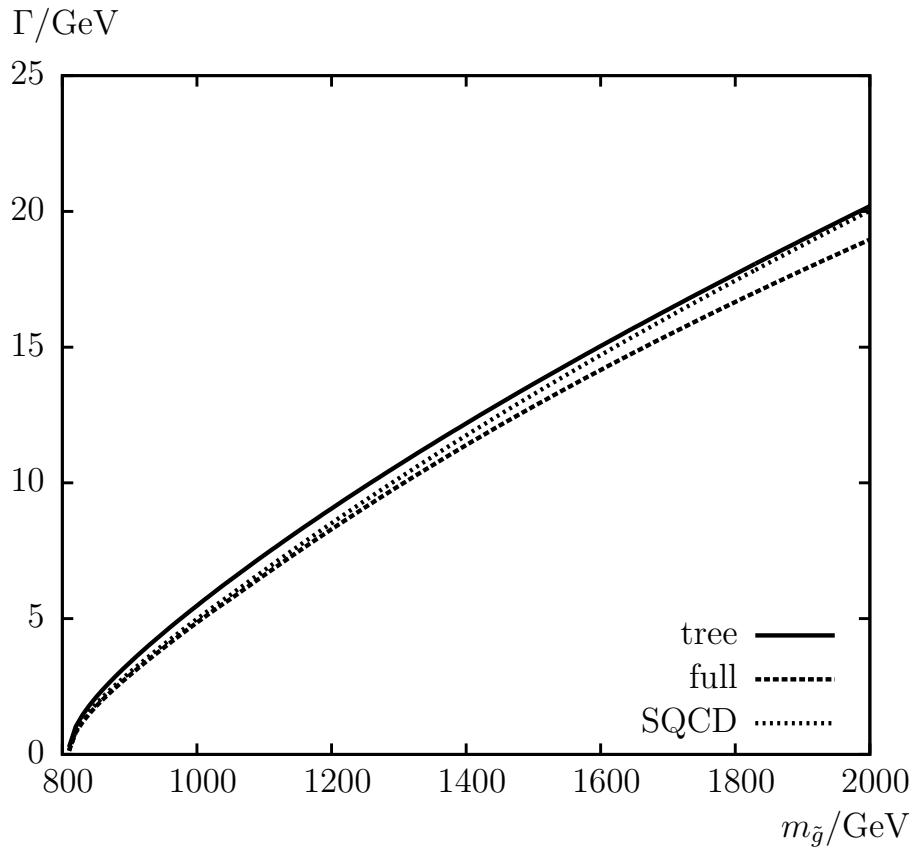
⇒ focus on decays involving Stops!
(see previous section)

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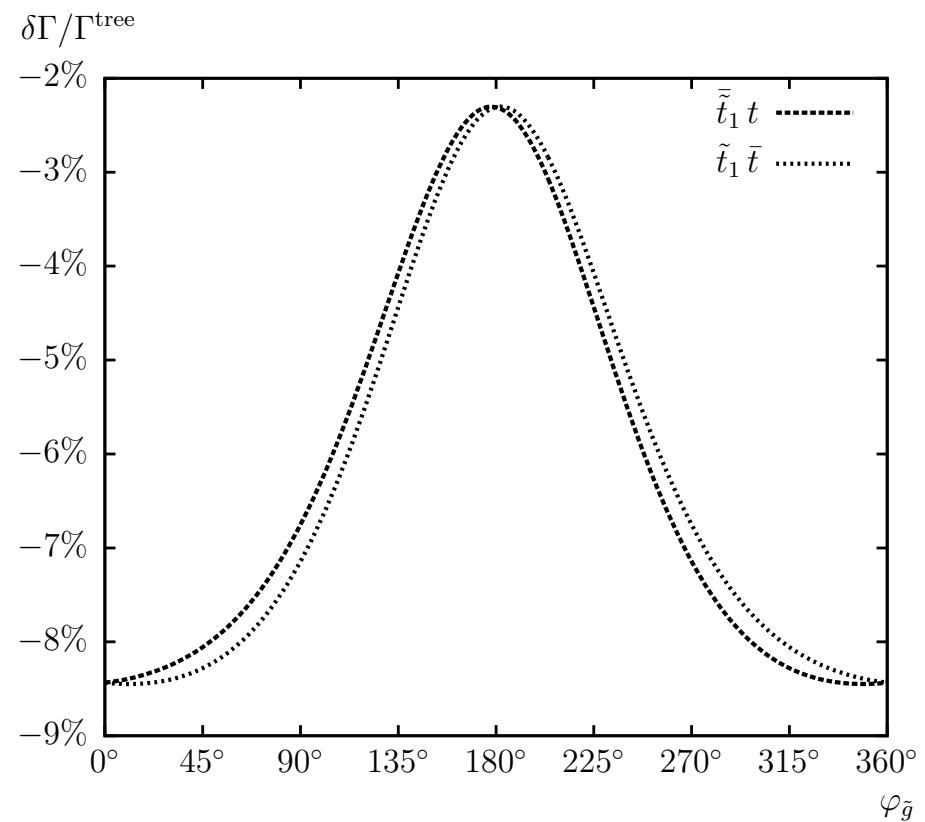
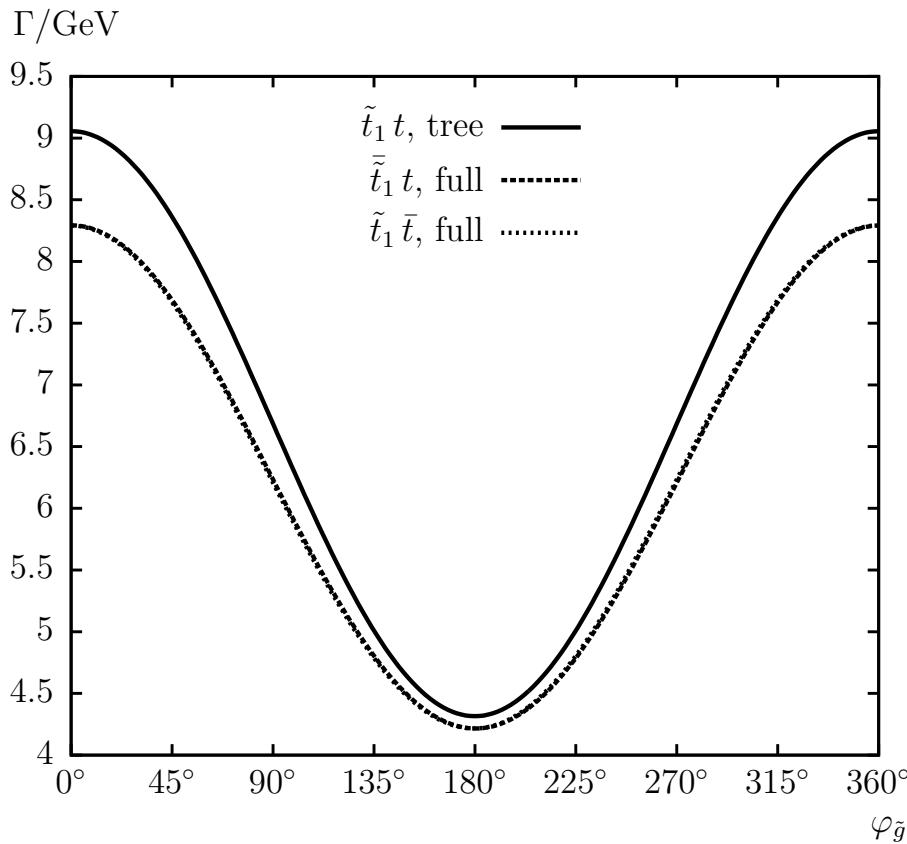
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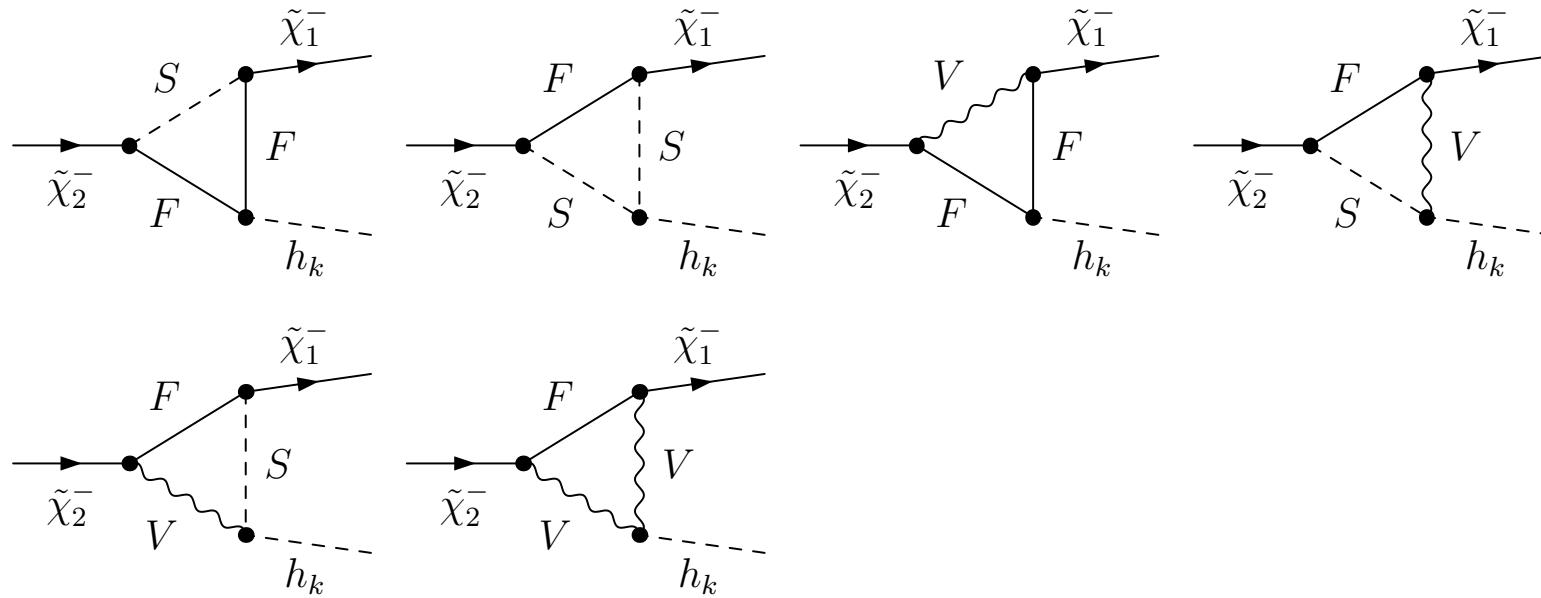
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 & \Gamma(\tilde{\chi}_i^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_l l^\pm) \quad (i = 1, 2, l = e, \mu, \tau) .
 \end{aligned}$$

No hadronic decays yet . . .

Scen.	$\tan \beta$	M_{H^\pm}	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$	$M_{\tilde{l}_L}$	$M_{\tilde{l}_R}$	A_l
\mathcal{S}	20	160	650	350	300	310	400

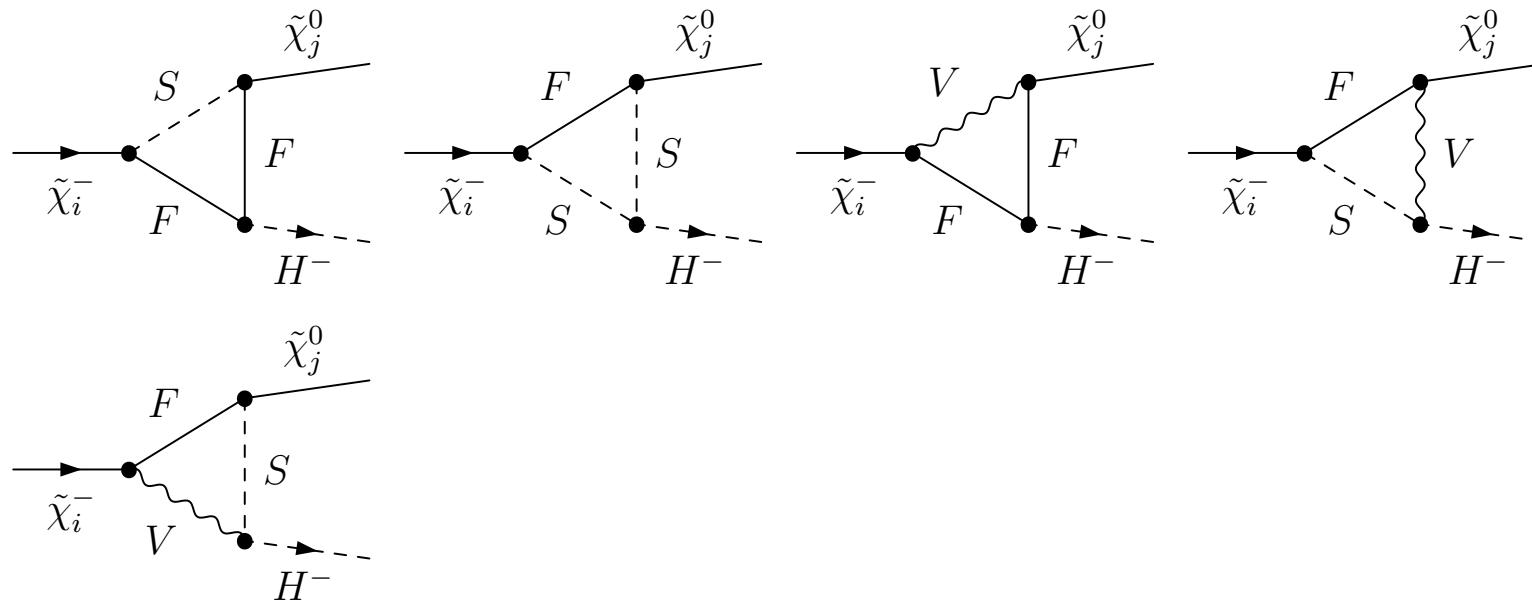
$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{S}_> : \mu > M_2 & \quad (\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm \text{ more higgsino-like}) \\
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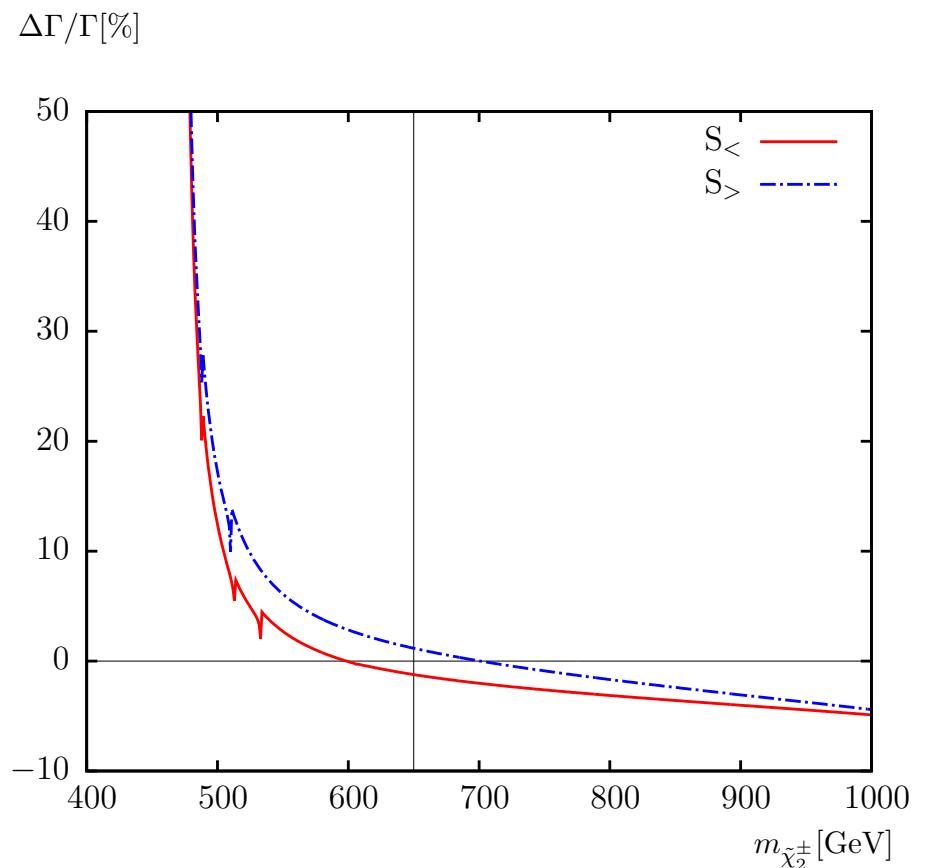
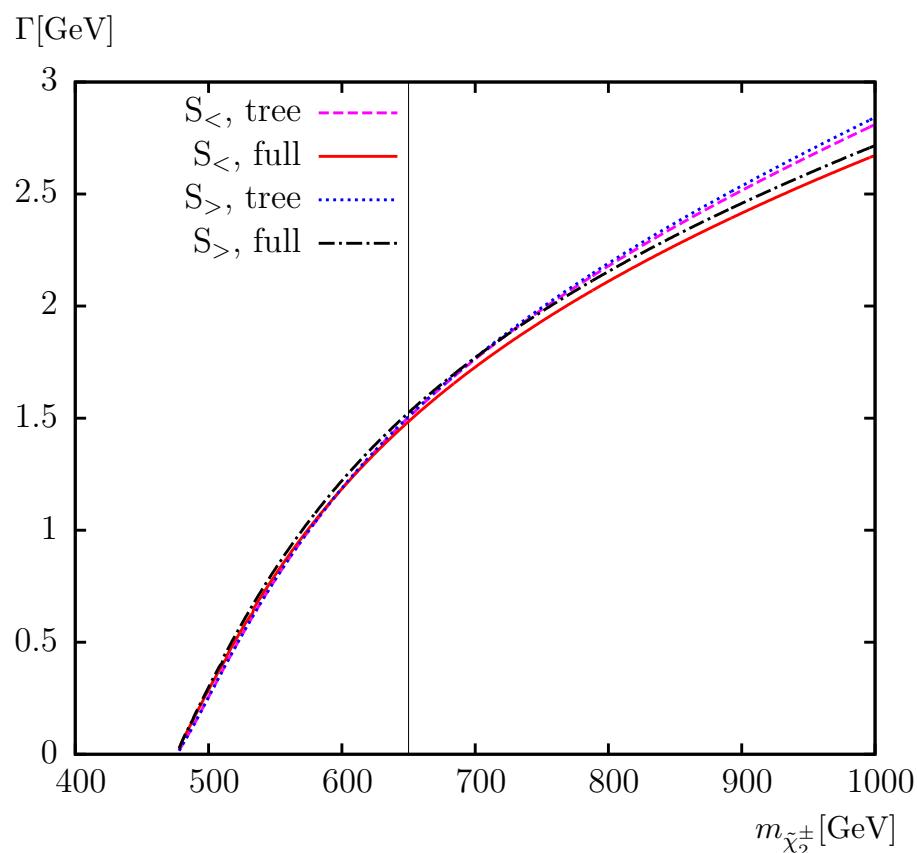


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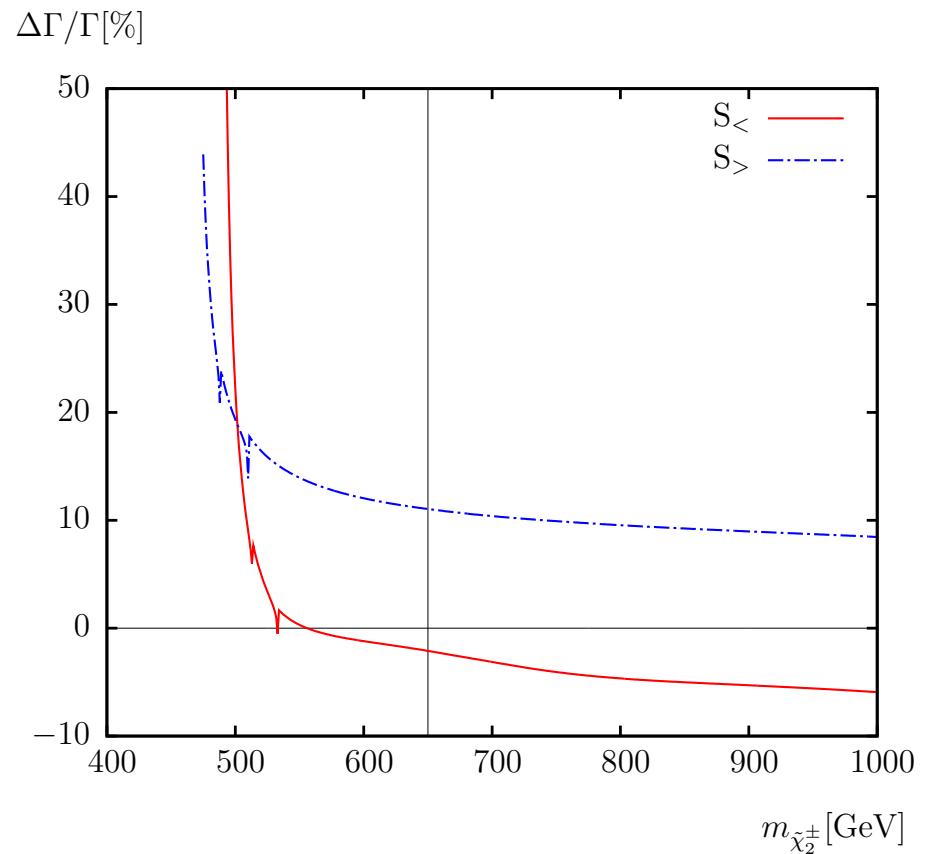
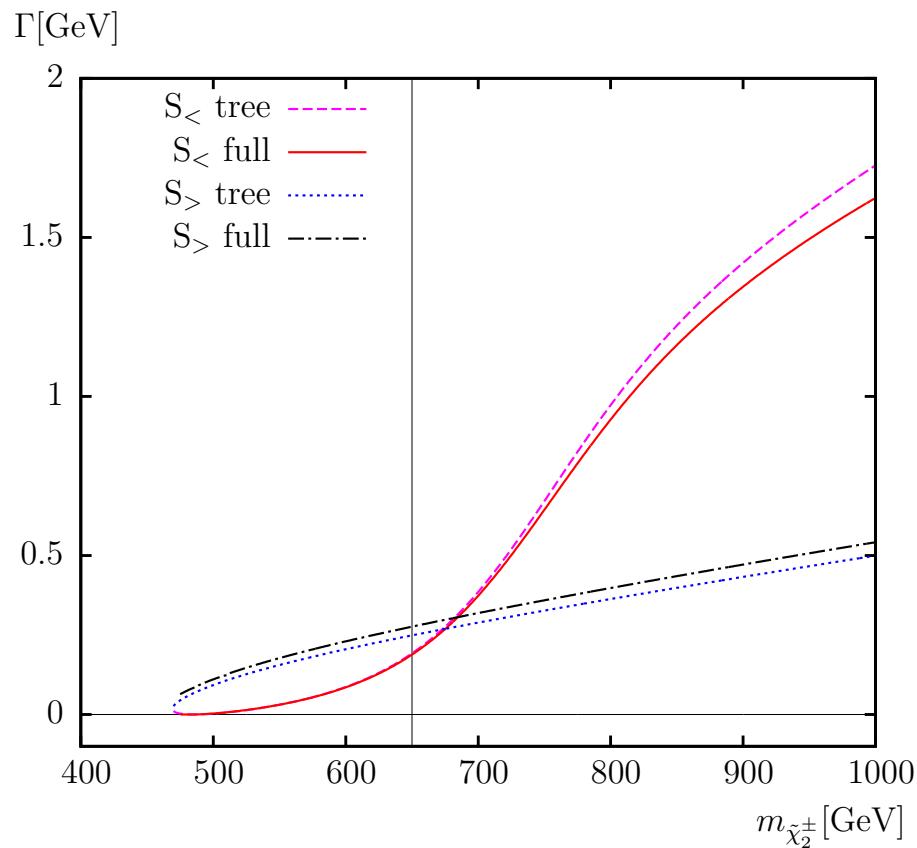


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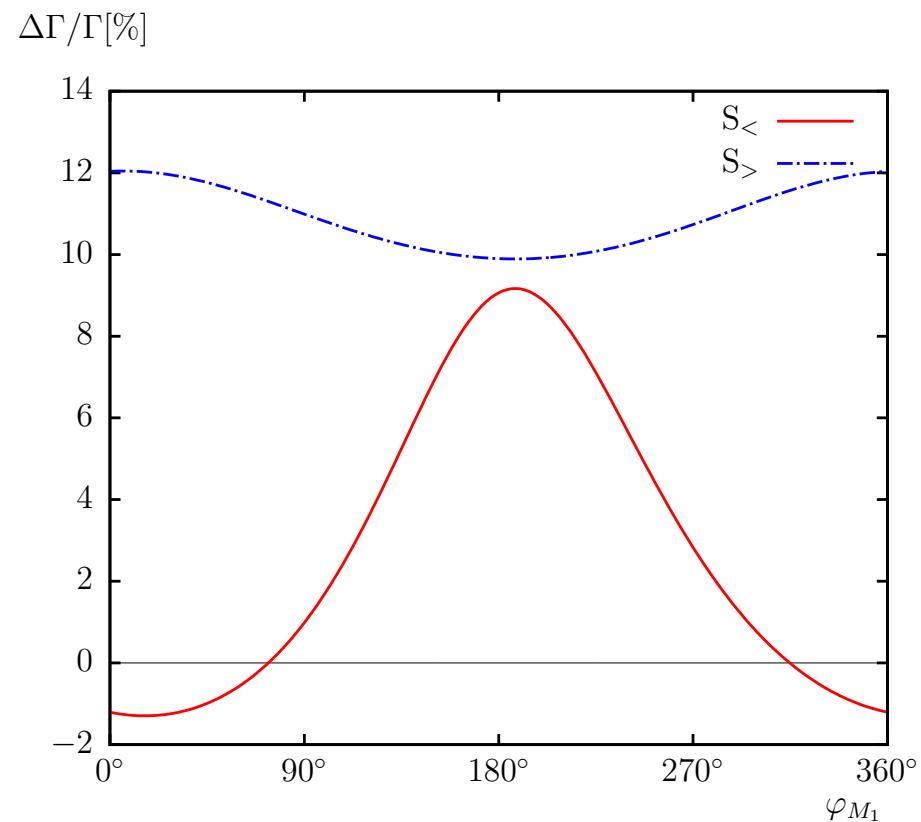
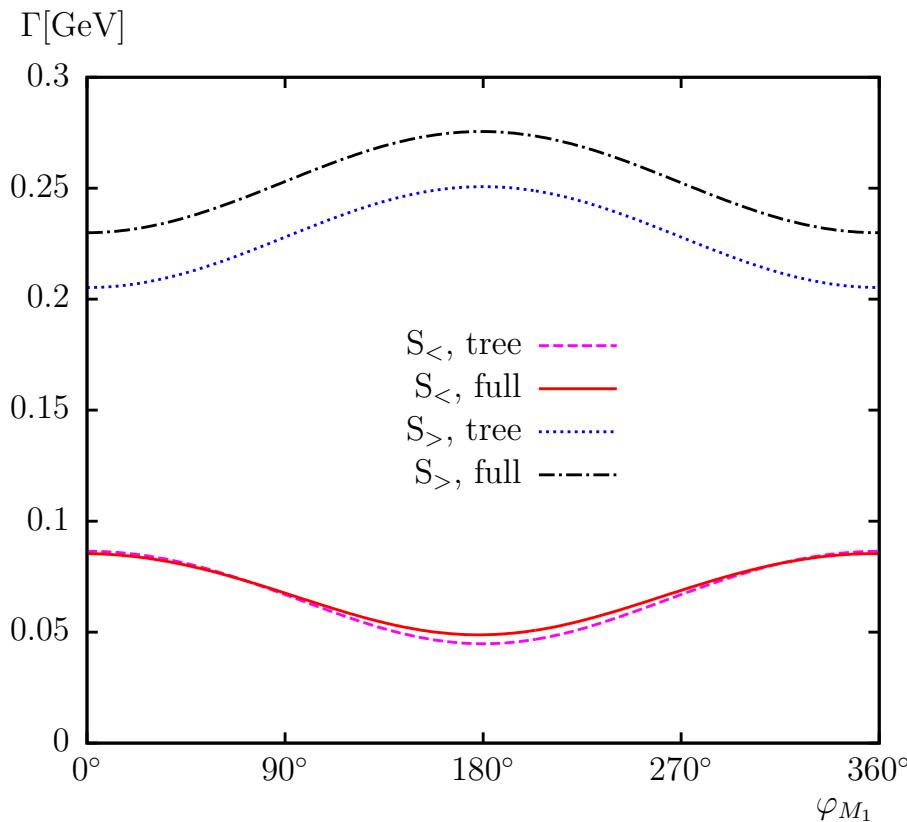


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5. Conclusions

- Needed: reliable prediction for SUSY cascades at the LHC
Of special interest: decays involving Higgs or LSP
- Our work:
Calculation of decay widths and branching ratios
 - all two-body decays
 - full one-loop (incl. hard QED/QCD radiation)
 - in the **complex MSSM** for arbitrary parameters
 - renormalization of the full cMSSM!
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- Chargino decays:
 $\tilde{\chi}_2^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^- h_1: \sim 10\%, \quad \tilde{\chi}_2^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 H^-: \sim 10\%$

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